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SCHEME FOR CROP AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government proposes to formulate any scheme to increase the crop agricultural production in the country;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the funds allocated to implement the said scheme during the year 2004-05 and 2005-06, State-wise?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI KANTI LAL BHURIA)

(a) to (c): The Government of India is contemplating a new scheme on Enhancing Sustainability of Dryland Farming Systems to address the issues of dryland areas in the country. Further, a number of schemes to increase the crop production are being implemented. The main thrust of all the schemes is to increase crop production by promoting quality inputs and improved production technologies.